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BEFORE THE IDAHO PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF IDAHO POWER)	CASE NO. IPC-E-14-18
COMPANY'S APPLICATION TO)	
IMPLEMENT SOLAR INTEGRATION)	PETITION TO INTERVENE OF
RATES AND CHARGES)	THE SNAKE RIVER ALLIANCE

Pursuant to the Idaho Public Utilities Commission's Rules of Procedure Rule 72 and 73 IDAPA 31.01.01.072 and -.073, and in response to Commission Order No. 33068, the Snake River Alliance petitions the Commission to grant its request for intervention in the above-referenced case, IPC-E-14-18. The name and address of this intervenor is:

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The Snake River Alliance is represented in this proceeding by Ken Miller. Correspondence in this docket can be sent to the above address or via e-mail to: kmiller@snakeriveralliance.org. To reduce costs and environmental impacts of exchanging information in this case, the Alliance requests that, pursuant to IPUC Rules, information other than that which might be deemed confidential or otherwise must be hand-delivered be provided electronically and/or via email to the above address.

The Snake River Alliance is an Idaho-based non-profit organization, established in 1979 to address Idahoans' concerns about nuclear waste and safety issues. In 2007, the Alliance expanded the scope of its mission by becoming Idaho's first nonprofit clean energy advocacy organization. The Alliance's energy program includes advocacy for renewable energy resources in Idaho; expanded conservation and demand-side management programs offered by Idaho's

regulated electric utilities and the Bonneville Power Administration; and development of local, state, regional, and national initiatives to advance sustainable energy policies, including electric utility rate structures and designs that promote energy conservation. The Alliance pursues these programs on behalf of its members, many of whom are customers of Idaho Power and who have a direct interest in Idaho Power's ongoing ability to integrate greater amounts of solar power onto its system.

The Alliance has been and continues to advocate renewable energy as part of resource planning by Idaho's regulated electric utilities. It has participated for several years in Idaho Power's wind integration dockets, and has sought to advance solar integration onto Idaho Power's system for the company's past two Integrated Resource Plans. It will do the same in the 2015 IRP, in which the Alliance will participate as a member of the IRP Advisory Council. The Alliance is particularly interested in helping to identify ways to resolve outstanding issues that may stand in the way of integrating greater amounts of solar onto Idaho Power's system.

The Alliance and its membership have a direct interest in the processing of this case and therefore requests that the Commission grant this application to participate in IPC-E-14-18 as an intervenor.

The Alliance believes its participation as in intervenor will not complicate or extend this case, nor will its participation unduly broaden the issues in this case, and that to the extent permitted by Commission rules it will actively participate in this case as an intervenor.

Therefore and pursuant to Rules 72 and 73 of the Commission's Rules of Procedure, IDAPA 31.01.01.072 and 073, the Alliance requests that this petition to participate as an intervenor in Case No. IPC-E-14-17 be granted.

Respectfully submitted,



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